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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

LAURA C.¹,

Plaintiff,

vs.

ANDREW M. SAUL,
COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL
SECURITY,

Defendant.

No. 1:19-CV-03188-MKD

**ORDER GRANTING
STIPULATED MOTION FOR
REMAND PURSUANT TO
SENTENCE FOUR OF 42 U.S.C. §
405(g)**

ECF Nos. 12, 17

Before the Court is the parties' Stipulated Motion for Remand, ECF No. 17, requesting remand of the above-captioned matter to the Commissioner for additional administrative proceeding pursuant to sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g). Attorney D. James Tree represents Plaintiff. Attorney Jordan Goddard represents Defendant. The parties have consented to proceed before a magistrate judge. ECF No. 4.

After consideration, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that:

1. The parties' Stipulated Motion for Remand, **ECF No. 17**, is **GRANTED**.

¹ To protect the privacy of plaintiffs in social security cases, the undersigned identifies them by only their first names and the initial of their last names.

2. The above-captioned case be **REVERSED** and **REMANDED** to the Commissioner of Social Security for further administrative proceeding pursuant to sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g).

On remand, the parties stipulate that the ALJ will:

- (1) Obtain evidence from a medical expert to clarify the nature, severity, and effects of Plaintiff's mental impairments;
- (2) Reevaluate the opinion evidence of record;
- (3) Reevaluate Plaintiff's alleged symptoms;
- (4) Reassess Plaintiff's RFC;
- (5) Evaluate whether Plaintiff could perform her past relevant work;
- (6) Obtain supplemental vocational expert evidence to clarify the effect of the assessed limitations on Plaintiff's ability to perform other work in the national economy; and
- (7) Issue a new decision.

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3. Judgment shall be entered for **PLAINTIFF**.

4. Plaintiff's Motion for Summary Judgment, **ECF No. 12**, is **STRICKEN AS MOOT**.

5. Upon proper presentation, this Court consider Plaintiff's application for fees and expenses under the Equal Access to Justice Act, 28 U.S.C. § 2412(d).

The District Court Executive is directed to enter this Order, **enter Judgment**, forward copies to counsel, and **CLOSE THE FILE**.

DATED February 18, 2020.

s/Mary K. Dimke
MARY K. DIMKE
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE